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### Christmas Saving Club for 1916

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There will be no restrictions. Old and young will be welcome. Everyone in the family may become a member. We extend a broad invitation to all to participate in this pleasant and easy plan for providing Funds for Christmas.

Members starting with 5 cents and increasing five cents each week for fifty weeks, get  <b>\$63.75</b>  =====	Members starting with 2 cents and increasing two cents each week for fifty weeks, get  <b>\$25.50</b>  =====	Members starting with one cent and increasing one cent each week for fifty weeks, get  <b>\$12.75</b>  =====	Members paying 25 cents a week fixed, for fifty weeks, get  <b>\$12.50</b>  Members paying 50 cents a week fixed, for fifty weeks, get  <b>\$25.00</b>  Members paying \$1.00 a week fixed, for fifty weeks, get  <b>\$50.00</b>
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Get your friends to start with you.**

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## PRETTY CHRISTMAS CUS-TOMS.

In some of the small towns on the Riviera a curious custom takes place on Christmas eve, when at the chief church in the town, during the midnight mass, a number of shepherds from the hills make their appearance wearing the picturesque dress of their calling.

The chief shepherd carries a lamb in his arms and, advancing to the high altar, gives it to the priest as a Christmas offering from the shepherds and a symbol of the Nativity.

In some towns of southern Germany a pretty custom prevails on Christmas eve.

A veiled woman walks through the streets after nightfall, carrying a child, chosen for his beauty and goodness to personify the infant Saviour. The cottage windows are left ajar so that the representative of the Christ Child can leave some gift upon the window sill.

Every good child thus finds on Christmas morning fruit and sweets, but the bad children only receive a birch rod, typical of well deserved chastisement.

## Dead Giveaway.

"I don't think my stenographer will get a job through the recommendation I gave him." "Didn't you give him a good one?" "Yes, but he took it down and typed it himself. And it was full of errors."

## To Soften Lemons.

Lemons that have become hard and dry can be made soft and juicy again by putting them into a pan of hot water and letting them remain at almost the same temperature without boiling for two hours.

## RHEUMATISM ARRESTED

Many people suffer the tortures of lame muscles and stiffened joints because of impurities in the blood, and each succeeding attack seems more acute until rheumatism has invaded the whole system.

To arrest rheumatism it is quite as important to improve your general health as to purify your blood, and the cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion is nature's great blood-maker, while its medicinal nourishment strengthens the organs to expel the impurities and rebuild your strength. Scott's Emulsion is helping thousands every day who could not find other relief. Refuse the alcoholic substitutes.

## Never Thought of That.

Solomon had no reason to get chasty because he was the wisest man. Who wouldn't have been if he had had a thousand wives to advise him?—Florida Times-Union.

## Sea at Its Deepest Point.

The greatest known depth of the sea is eight and three-quarters miles.

## The Tuneful Watermelon.

Our idea of a natural and unassuming person is one who eats his watermelon harmonica fashion.—Springfield Union.

## RUN-DOWN WOMAN

Made Strong By Our Vinol

Fort Edward, N.Y.—"I was in a run-down, nervous and weak condition, so I could not do the housework for my little family of three. I had taken cod liver oil emulsions and other remedies without benefit. A friend told me about Vinol. I tried it and it soon built up my strength and made me a well woman so I now do all of my housework."—Mrs. ELVER GLIDDEN.

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When the nervousness is caused by constipation, as is often the case, you will get quick relief by taking Chamberlain's Tablets. These tablets also improve the digestion. Obtainable everywhere.

## CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

A special day at the Congregational church Sunday.

Dr. L. H. Keller of Madison, will occupy the pulpit of the Congregational church next Sunday morning, also at the vesper service.

Dr. Keller is the State Superintendent of the Congregational churches of Wisconsin. It will be a special privilege to hear him. Do not fail to be present at both services Sunday.

If you do not regularly attend one of the other churches, you are cordially invited to become a regular attendant of all of our services on Sunday which are as follows:

Bible School at 10 o'clock a. m.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock.

Vesper service at 4:30 p. m.

Young People's service at 7:15 p. m.

## DOG POISONER AT WORK

The dog poisoner is reported to be getting in his work in this city. A south side family lost a pet dog through the Paris green route last Friday. It was discovered that the animal had been given meat on which had been sprinkled poison.

## COUGH MEDICINE FOR CHILDREN

Mrs. Hugh Cook, Scottsville, N. Y., says: "About five years ago when we were living in Garbutt, N. Y., I doctored two of my children suffering from colds with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and found it just as represented in every way. It promptly checked their coughing and cured their colds quicker than anything I ever used." Obtainable everywhere.

## LENOX

Mr. Wildner is on the sick list this week. Wm. Krier of Antigo was a town caller.

Mrs. J. Rice Jr., of Pelican was a business caller here a day this week.

A surprise party was given on Gertrude Wolgram Dec. 7; it being her birthday. Those present were Misses Mabel White, Margaret Krzaska, Celia Schlessel, Mary Belotti, Helen Svonila, Lillian and Gladys Ackley, Messrs. Vincent Panka, Frank Kierzek, Frank Plotka, Phil Kroski. The evening was spent playing games. Refreshments were served. All reports a good time.

J. Monroe of Post Lake was a caller here a day last week.

Misses White and Charrey spent the week end at Rhinelander.

Francis Plotka spent a day at Pelican Lake last week.

## WICKLOW

Fanny Brown went to Rhinelander Wednesday evening to visit friends and returned home Monday evening.

Mr. Sigler returned from Sacred Heart hospital Saturday morning, much improved in health.

Howard Lee made a business trip to Rhinelander Friday.

Miss Ella Crain expects to go to Merrill Friday evening to do some Christmas shopping.

The Woodmen will give a masquerade dance and oyster supper in Smith's Hall New Year's night.

Arthur Kiefer made a business trip to Tomahawk Monday.

Merry Christmas to the New North. The Royal Neighbors will hold their next regular meeting with Mrs. Dan Lee. Officers will be elected and each member should try and be present.

The school board convention and institute just held in Rhinelander was very instructive as well as interesting. Teachers and school boards from the whole county were in attendance.

The Rendant, Kelly, Brown and Collett schools will together have their Christmas tree and program in the M. E. church on Thursday evening Dec. 23.

## DANGER SIGNAL

If the fire bell should ring would you run and stop it or go and help to put out the fire? It is much the same way with a cough. A cough is a danger signal as much as a fire bell.

You should no more try to suppress it than to stop a fire bell when it is ringing, but should cure the disease that causes the coughing. This can nearly always be done by taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Many have used it with the most beneficial results. It is especially valuable for the persistent cough that so often follows a bad cold or an attack of the grip.

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## Lights Save Lives.

That fully 25 per cent of the accidents to workmen are caused by insufficient lighting for men working at night, is the opinion of experts who have made a study of the subject. It is estimated that \$250,000,000 is the average cost of injuries to workmen in the United States alone, and that more than 50 per cent of these accidents are preventable.—Popular Mechanics.

## STARKS

School was closed Thursday and Friday as Miss Connors and Miss Nagel attended the institute in Rhinelander.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hess were Rhinelander callers Thursday.

Miss Mildred Wall visited school Monday.

Mrs. M. Quinby moved to Brantwood Monday. Mr. Quinby expects to work at Stella Lake for the winter.

Mrs. C. S. Welch spent Tuesday in Rhinelander.

H. Donohue spent a few days the fore part of the week in Rhinelander.

Miss Lizzie Dusel of Rhinelander is spending a few days this week at the Hess residence.

Mrs. Billington was a Rhinelander visitor Tuesday.

A farewell party was given at the hall Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. M. Quinby.

Miss Helmbrecht of Phlox spent Sunday with her sister Miss Anna.

Miss Lucile McGannon spent Saturday with friends here and left Saturday evening for Armstrong Creek where she will spend a few weeks.

Mrs. Allard of Laona was an over Sunday guest at the Billington home.

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The Sunday School Helpers were entertained at the home of Mrs. Ed Anderson Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Lansing spent Saturday in Rhinelander.

D. D. Fox, it is judged, will be the next one to be showered here, as he succeeded in making a "catch on" at the party Saturday eve.

## MONICO

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Meyers were at Antigo Friday.

Marvin Gigure called here Thursday.

Mrs. Arthur Orth was called to Oshkosh Wednesday by the serious condition of her husband.

Mr. Jillion and daughter, Isabel were at Wausau Friday.

Mr. Meagher, son Jack and daughter Harriet, went to Antigo Friday.

Mrs. Baldwin Sr., arrived Thursday to visit at the Baldwin home.

Mrs. Stark was at Rhinelander Saturday.

The terrible wreck here last Tuesday entailed other disastrous effects besides the general smashup. While helping to clear away the debris, three men were injured. Rob Taylor was seriously hurt when he was struck on the head with a stick of piling. He was taken immediately to the hospital at Rhinelander, where his condition is reported as being very grave. Another man had his cheek torn open with one of the hooks, and a third sustained several slight injuries.

Church services were held in the school house Sunday. Rev. Jenkins of Elcho officiating.

Fay Rogers called at Rhinelander Sunday.

Mrs. Lagon has arrived from Three Lakes to spend the winter months with her son, J. Lagon.

Mrs. Haven was at Rhinelander last week attending the institute.

Mrs. Cullum of Three Lakes is visiting at the Lagon home.

Elaine Murphy was at Rhinelander Sunday.

Frank Hunter went to Gagen Tuesday.

Death called Mr. Mooney away suddenly at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon. The deceased, who was 97 years old, was foster-father of Mrs. E. Roughan, and had made his home with that family for many years. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon from the Catholic church.

Mr. Taylor was at Rhinelander Thursday.

Mrs. Stark called at Antigo Friday.

Mrs. Martin Wesolowski was at Rhinelander on Wednesday.

The pupils of the Monico schools enjoyed a brief respite from their intellectual labors for a few days last week; all the teachers being in attendance at the Teachers' Institute held at Rhinelander Dec. 9-11.

Mrs. Wesolowski was at Antigo Friday.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our gratitude to the kind friends and neighbors who so willingly aided us during our great bereavement in the death of our husband and father.

Mrs. Jas. Singer and Family.

## MILWAUKEE SOLVAY COKE

MILWAUKEE SOLVAY COKE is not something "left over" to be sold as a by-product; it is not a makeshift or substitute. It is a scientifically prepared fuel and was produced to fill a long-felt need for a better fuel at a lower price. It is manufactured for heating purposes only, in a plant occupying 28 acres, located on the Kinnickinnic River, Milwaukee, and having an annual capacity of 800,000 tons.

The Fuel Without a Fault

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# NOTICE!

We have taken over the

## Oneida Bakery

And in the Future it will be  
Conducted Under the  
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## Osceola Mill & Elevator Co.

We have secured the services of Mr. Einar Lund who comes to us highly recommended as a Baker, who will do the baking and Superintend the Business.

We kindly solicit a part of your patronage.

Osceola Mill & Elevator Co.



# Hush, Santa, you'll wake Mamma!



## TREASURERS CAN NOW SETTLE LATER

City, town and village treasurers have now until March 22 to make their final settlements with the county treasurer, according to the terms of a law enacted by the last legislature. The state tax must be paid to the county treasurer on or before the first Monday in March. Under the old law the state tax had to be paid on or before the second Monday in February and the final settlements were required to be made not later than March 15. The effect of the new law is to give the treasurers more time in which to make their returns of state taxes and their final settlements. It also gives the county treasurer more time in which to set-

tle with the state treasurer for state taxes collected in the county. Under the old statute he was required to do this on or before the third Monday in February. He now has until the second Monday in March to make this settlement.

Treasurers will still have to collect the two per cent penalty from the first day in February, unless the town, village or city board extends the time for the payment of taxes without penalty until the first day of March, as provided by Chapter 1, laws of 1915. The new law does not mean that there will be any extension of time in which taxes may be paid. These must be paid as usual, the new law not effecting such payments, but merely the time in which state taxes must be paid to the county and state treasurers.—Exchange.

Miss Helen Lewis, who teaches in the Houghton, Mich., schools, will arrive Friday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Lewis.

## CATCH ALLEGED P. O. ROBBER

One of the men believed responsible for the postoffice robbery in Pelican Lake recently was captured in Odanah this week by Al. Gilley, a detective. The Ashland Press tells of the capture as follows: "Al Gilley, who is in the state detective service, made an important capture at Odanah this week in the capture of Jack Crawford, for a post-office robbery committed at Pelican Lake, Wis., several months ago. Mr. Gilley made the capture at a camp near Birch and landed his man in the county jail here and notified the authorities at Pelican Lake of the fact. During the summer he has operated in this territory making several important arrests of bad characters."

## The "Christmas Grouch"

THE Christmas grouch dies hard, but he begins to breathe feebly. There is scarcely a family but has a Christmas grouch—some one who thinks gifts are foolish and that a great deal of money is wasted at the season now upon us. He hates to see money wasted; he hates to see the Christmas trees cut down; he thinks it is a sin to tell the children the legend about Santa Claus; he scolds about shopping; he is sorry for the postman who carries so many bundles; he says everybody runs into debt at Christmas and that the new year gets started in all wrong on account of the debts; he says the sentiment has all gone out of Christmas on account of its being commercialized and that Christmas trees are a menace to life and that once he knew of a house that caught fire from a Christmas tree; he says it is a sin to spend money for flowers at Christmas.

The Christmas reformer has hundreds of ideas about how Christmas can be improved. He says the Christmas holidays never mean anything to him and he will be glad when they are all over.

But Christmas remains Christmas just the same, for all the grouch's protests, and will be the same forever; will laugh at the grouch and his follies in such a wholesome, hearty way that he will grow ashamed and will join in the merrymaking in spite of himself.

Futile Aspiration.

"When I was a boy I thought I'd rather be a great baseball player than anything else in the world." "Of course, you have changed your mind." "Not exactly. I have merely realized that there is no hope."



## Home Made Candies Are Best and Cheapest

Our Candies are made in Sanitary Kitchens from the Highest Grade Materials and are guaranteed pure and wholesome.

Beginning Saturday, December 18 and continuing until New Year's Day the following special prices on Candies will prevail at our store:

- All 20 and 25c candies, 3 pounds for ..... 50c
- All 30c candies, 2 pounds for..... 50c
- All 40c and 50c candies, Milk and Bittersweet Chocolate at 2 pounds for..... 75c
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Candy Canes, Popcorn Balls, Christmas Candies. Complete line of assorted nuts at popular prices, also salted nuts of all kinds. Christmas Cigars at Special Prices.—Remember Hubby.

Everything satisfactory or money refunded at

# ROUMAN'S

TENDERING our best wishes to every reader, we are pleased to invite your attention to our Holiday stock for 1915-A REVELATION IN PLEASING AND APPROPRIATE GIFTS.

We are prepared to show you in all departments worth and quality for the price, variety and assortment in goods, and novelty and originality in new designs. The time of every Holiday Shopper will indeed be well spent in looking through our bright, fresh selection of up-to-date gifts. Timely hints and valuable suggestions will be made to you by the goods themselves; the fitness and reliability of many articles will recommend them as most appropriate and satisfactory for those you wish to remember. Prior to the enjoyments and merrymaking of Christmas time comes a period of perplexity familiar to all buyers of gifts. The selection of just the right and desirable present for each one who is to be remembered is oftentimes a burdensome task. At the present moment it is probable that you have a list of people in mind who should receive gifts from you, and the anxious question of the hour is WHAT to get them. Come and see our varied line of really desirable gifts and the problem will immediately be changed to the simpler question of WHICH to get them. We acknowledge a more than common pride in our Holiday display this season, caused by the excellence of the goods represented, and the variety and range afforded for perfect satisfaction in the selection of anything from an inexpensive little remembrance to a solid and substantial gift. Hoping we may have the pleasure of welcoming you at our store and wishing you the compliments of the season, we remain, Respectfully Yours,

**J. SEGERSTROM**  
JEWELER  
RHINELANDER, WIS.

### Christmas Coming

Christmas is comin' I hear it a-hummin'  
Up thru the chimney place outer the flue  
Turkeys are smellin' it; old hens are tellin' it  
Every one's feelin' it plumb thru an' thru  
Rub up ther andirons, keep 'em a-shinin'  
Scour up ther pewter an' copper an' brass  
Fetch out ther little with porcelaine linin'  
Ha' pick up ther quinces ter turn into sass  
Look up ther Christmas green, hang up ther holly  
Nail up ther mistletoe over ther door  
Every one's goin' ter perk up an' be jolly  
Jest as we allus hev done heretofore  
'Tain't no use thinkin' of trouble an' sorrow  
Chlags that's gone by ain't no place in our hearts  
Christmas is comin' a week from tomorrow  
Ha' right from this mornin' ther frolickin' starts!  
—Lewna Ebdon.

### Christmas Fun On a Warship

"I can't be at my own home," remarked a navy officer the other day, "I'd rather spend the holiday season on a vessel down in the Caribbean than in the greatest city of the land. Fun? Why, you don't know what fun is until you come to one of our celebrations!"  
He told of many such celebrations, beginning with a musical comedy given by the crew of a protected cruiser off a South American port, winding up with a Christmas tree. It was a big tree, too, one that anybody might have envied, and the sailors had made a trip ten miles inland to get it on the previous day. From every branch there hung gifts for the diners.  
Just as the big tree was fastened into place there appeared through the high window a real Santa Claus.  
Down a chimney-like opening he crawled, finally leaping upon the table with such force that half a dozen glasses went crashing to the floor. Amid the applause Santa Claus proceeded to award the presents.

### The Birds' Plea

Dear kiddies, Christmas will soon be here.  
The happiest time of all the year. While you are enjoying your Christmas toys  
And your little hearts filled with Christmas joys.  
Please think of the wee birds out in the snow.  
Where cruel winds whistle and fiercely blow  
Our home is the air; our roof is the sky.  
When we're nothing to eat we freeze and die.  
Dear kiddies, you live in houses so warm.  
Sheltered from cold and the blinding storm.  
You'll have "merry Christmas" and plenty to eat.  
Oh, please give your little bird friends a treat!  
We're so hungry. Dear little kiddies, please  
Hang us some Christmas out on the trees.  
YOUR LITTLE BIRD FRIENDS.

## Bring your job work to The New North Office

# A SALE OF 100 WOMEN'S COATS AND Misses'

## Saturday, December 18

We will place on Sale One Hundred Women's and Misses' New and Fashionable Winter Coats=== Sale will last only "Six Days," after December 25th, if any garments are left, they will be packed and shipped out of the city. If you have yet to buy your winter coat, here is your opportunity to save from one-third to one-half. The best values go first, so hurry.

## All Coats at One-Third to ONE-HALF PRICE

### QUINLIN SISTERS

RHINELANDER, WIS.

### LUMBERMEN WANT NEW LEGISLATION

#### Plea For Better Treatment Of The Industry Before Fed- eral Commission

Some of Wisconsin's best known lumbermen were present at the final hearing before the Federal Trade Commission in Washington of the pleas of the lumbermen of America for better treatment of the industry for the preservation of the nation's standing timber for new legislation if needed, to allow the lumbermen to operate on terms which will permit them to make a reasonable return on their enormous investments in stumpage. The occasion was the making of arguments by counsel in the case and the Wisconsin and Michigan men who were present included R. B. Goodman of Goodman, president of the Northern Hemlock and Hardwood Manufacturers Association, C. H. Worcester of Chicago, whose interests are heavy in the northern hemlock territory, Edward Hines of the great concern bearing his name, E. A. Hamer of Chassell, Mich., and G. N. Harder of Rib Lake, head of extensive lumber and leather interests. There were also dozens of men present from other lumbering sections, such as the northern pine men and the Pacific coast manufacturers.

The pleas of the lumbermen was that the present laws do not, as has often been alleged, prohibit agreements between manufacturers to maintain prices at a reasonable rate, and asked the commission to fix some method for ascertaining what would be a reasonable return on the investments of the manufacturers. It was urged in contending for this principle, that the lumber is a national resource, even when in private hands, but that present conditions are forcing the manufacturers to cut the timber which should be saved for future generations, to avoid onerous restrictions imposed by the authorities at present. For the conservation of the supply the timber it was urged, should be taxed under a different system, to prohibit this waste. It was also urged that regulations be made to prevent the sale of lumber below cost or that the manufacturers, under government advice, be permitted to agree on values representing a fair selling price and a reasonable return on the investment.

The commission, however, was asked, in case it should determine that the present laws would not permit such agreements among manu-

facturers, to recommend to congress the enactment of regulatory laws which would protect the lumber manufacturers and the public.

The arguments were closely watched by some of the leading advisors of the present administration, as the problems brought out in this investigation are among those which the administration is most anxious to solve for the future advancement of American business, in such a way as to benefit the entire public.

### COAL PICKERS KEEP OFF TRACKS

Picking up coal in the railroad yards is a dangerous means of obtaining fuel and the state law on trespassing positively forbids this practice. In Rhinelander, as well as

in other cities throughout the country, many people get their supply of coal from the railroad yards and in doing so they take great chances of being injured or perhaps losing their lives by trains. In most instances the coal pickers are children commissioned to do the work by parents.

All the big railroads operating in this state are making strong efforts to keep people off the tracks and have issued letters to parents, teachers and police authorities to co-operate with them in this movement.

One Rhinelander railroad official states that if people persist in going on the tracks arrests for trespassing will be the result. "It folks deliberately insist in putting themselves in the way of serious accidents it is high time for the law to interfere," he said.

James Duket, internal revenue collector for this district, left Wednesday on a trip east on the Soo line. He will spend Christmas at his home in Oshkosh.

#### Making Starch.

It is a good plan, when making starch, to shave off some fine pieces of soap and add them to the starch. This gives a beautiful glossy finish to collars and cuffs, and will prevent the frons sticking.

#### A Menace to the Motorist.

Lawyer—"Judge, I want you to fine this man who was knocked down by my client's car." Judge—"Fine him? Why?" Lawyer—"He had a nail in his clothes and it punctured a new tire."—Topeka Journal.

#### Rather Fishy.

"What made you distrust that Italian refugee? I thought he told a straight story." "It sounded so, but when I questioned him as to his home and occupation he said he was a street cleaner in Venice."—Baltimore American.

### NEW MAJESTIC IS OPEN TO PATRONS

Zander's Theatre Is One Of  
Most Up-To-Date Movie  
Houses In State

The crowd attending the opening of the new Majestic theater Monday night testified materially to the appreciation in which the general public holds Manager Herman Zander's efforts to provide a first class play house in Rhinelander.

Almost before the supper hour was over the lovers of the movie drama were on their way to the Majestic and the seating capacity, although largely increased, was taxed before 7:15, the hour for the first show.

The Majestic is now one of the finest moving picture theatres in the state, fully equipped with the latest appliances for the proper showing of film subjects, modern heating, lighting and ventilating systems, a stage for the regular drama with standard equipment, a seating capacity of approximately six hundred, the aisle arrangement being such as to facilitate entrance and egress. Two emergency exits are provided in the rear, both plainly marked and the show house can be emptied in short order.

The interior decorations are most beautiful, the color scheme being pink and old ivory. The walls and ceilings are of stucco, the fresco work being elaborate.

Owing to the added length of the building the system of lighting used for the machines had to be changed from the alternating current to direct, it being necessary to install special generators and equipment to make this conversion. With the new direct current the projecting power of the machines has been increased to easily handle the 135 foot space between the projector and the screen.

The opening play shown Monday night was the "Soul of Broadway," a six reel drama, with Valeska Suratt filling the title role. Miss Suratt was new to Rhinelander film patrons, her style of acting being that of Theda Bara, but there were many who considered her work superior to that of this popular star.

It can be truthfully said that the musical program furnished by the Majestic Orchestra of six pieces, under the direction of Prof. George Hartman, was a revelation to theatre goers. The overture, William Tell, by Rossini, was handled in a way to thrill the hearts of music lovers. The rendition of this masterpiece by Prof. Hartman's orchestra demonstrated again what painstaking effort will accomplish when coupled with latent ability. The work cut out for the players in the varied movements of this overture taxed the best there was in talent represented and there was no slip.

Meditation by Morrison, Orchestration by Prof. Hartman, the second number on the program, was a most pleasing selection, the handling of which again testified to the efficiency of the director and his men. Sweet harmony was there and the tone arrangement left nothing to be wished for. The Rigoletto Quartette by Verdi, was most pleasingly given, in short the program right through called forth unstinted applause from the largest audience that ever attended a theatre in Rhinelander.

It is not amiss to state that Prof. George Hartman, leader and director of the Majestic orchestra, is a musician of ability and splendid power of accomplishment. Handicapped as he has been through the fact that his men are employed during the day with but little time for the necessary practice required for classical and difficult selections, he has, by persistent and painstaking effort brought about a degree of proficiency that it is a pleasure to make note of. Prof. Hartman studied the theory of music under Charles Kunkel of Kunkel Bros. Conservatory of Music in St. Louis. He was also a student of Arnold Besold, Concert Master of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra. That his instructors were most efficient and that he was a very apt pupil, is shown by his work here.

### JOINS RED CROSS

Aaron Lindgren, brother of Axel Lindgren, has joined the German forces as a member of the Red Cross corps according to a letter which Axel received from relatives in Stockholm, Sweden, Saturday. Aaron will be remembered by many Rhinelander people as a former resident of this city. He has always been fond of adventure and since leaving here twelve years ago has been in both Africa and Asia.

While in Rhinelander Aaron accomplished a dare-devil feat when he shot the Wisconsin river rapids at this point in a birch bark canoe. Through this act he gained considerable notoriety and the daily press of the state devoted columns to him. For the last three years Aaron has been studying medicine in Stockholm and he will prove a valuable addition to the Red Cross workers on the European battlefields.

#### MORE NEW EAGLES

At the regular meeting of Rhinelander Aerie 359 F. O. Eagles tonight several new candidates will be received into the order and action will also be taken on many applications for membership. Following the disposal of business tonight a big lunch, provided by one of the members, will be served.

M. V. Boyce, principal of the Woodruff schools, was a visitor in Rhinelander Saturday.

### A LITTLE CHAT ABOUT POULTRY

Improper feeding of breeding birds is often responsible for their inability to produce a sufficient number of hatching eggs or enough fertile eggs possessing the vitality necessary for the production of strong, vigorous chicks.

Such loss and worry could to a great extent be very easily overcome if it is not at all difficult to feed breeding birds properly. What they need is to be fed first for condition—to be fed for a gain in strength and vitality, so that when hatching eggs are needed they will be able to produce a maximum number of large, even-sized, fertile eggs of strong vitality. To secure these results the method of feeding is perhaps more important than the food. For the latter, good laying rations cannot be improved upon.

The feeding for condition should begin with the selection of the breeding birds, which should take place about the middle of December. During the latter part of December and the early part of January no attempt should be made to get eggs. The birds should be fed enough to keep their strength and vigor on the increase but not enough to supply them with very much of a surplus of nutriment.

Good condition will come to breeding birds more quickly if their meals are varied so as to include a number of nourishing foods, such as grain ration, mash and green stuff.

An excellent large ration can be made for them by mixing equal parts of cracked corn, oats and wheat. This should be fed in a deep litter so that the birds will have to scratch it out grain by grain and thereby get the exercise that is so necessary to their good health.

Any breeding flock will relish and be benefited by a mash made by thoroughly mixing

60 lbs. cornmeal  
60 lbs. Wheat middlings  
30 lbs. wheat bran  
10 lbs. Alfalfa meal  
10 lbs. Oil meal  
50 lbs. Beef scraps  
1 lb. salt.

Such a mash should be fed dry and placed before the birds for several hours through the middle of the day.

One of the most important factors in any mash for breeding birds is beef scraps. They contain a high percentage of protein which not only helps to put the birds in good condition but enables them to impart strong vitality to the hatching egg.

Green material for breeding birds may consist of the stuff that can be obtained or prepared most easily, such as sprouted oats, sliced cabbage, beets, mangels or small potatoes.

This method of feeding will put breeding birds in splendid condition by the time eggs are desired for hatching and they can then be given a bountiful supply of each of the delectable kinds of food, so as to furnish them with the large surplus of nutriment necessary for the production of a sufficient number of hatching eggs. Their grain ration and supply of green food should be increased to as large a quantity as they will clean up and the mash can be left before them all the time.

If a liberal supply of either buttermilk or skim milk can also be fed regularly, it will prove very helpful. Each of these is rich in protein and will therefore make it possible to decrease the amount of beer scraps in the mash about one half.

In addition to the regular foods, plenty of grit shell and charcoal should be supplied, as each of these is of some benefit to the breeding hen and will make it easier for her to produce a goodly supply of desirable hatching eggs. The ground oyster shell is especially important, as it is absolutely necessary to the production of hard shelled eggs. Hard shelled hatching eggs are much more to be desired than thin or medium thick shelled ones, as they are not so likely to get cracked or broken during incubation; do not get chilled as easily; and their contents are kept from evaporating too rapidly.

There is no element of "luck" in the feeding of breeding birds. Results—a maximum number of healthy, vigorous chicks—are sure to come to any poultry owner who realizes that breeding birds must be got into top condition before they can produce the right kind of hatching eggs and then uses good judgment in feeding to obtain such condition.

#### WILL RUN AGAINST HIS DAD

Oneida county has a new district attorney. At least there is a lusty youngster in Oneida county, who, if he follows in the footsteps of his father, may some day become district attorney. This little chap is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. O'Melia and he made his initial bow at their home, 332 Dahl street, Friday. To a New North reporter he expressed himself as delighted with his surroundings and declared that he intends to get into the political game and run against his daddy next fall. In the meantime A. J. is distributing the finest of weeds in observance of the little fellow's arrival.

When looking around for fresh home made goods just follow the crowd and you will get the best for Christmas.

**KIRK'S BAKERY &  
ANDY  
ITCHEN.**

Mrs. George Springer of La Crosse arrived in the city Tuesday to remain until after the holidays with relatives.

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Cigarette Cases \$1.00 to \$5.00	Tie Clasps 35c to \$2.00
Fine Pocket Knives \$2.50 to \$3.50	Toy Hot Bottles \$1.50 to \$6.00
Mesh Bags \$2.50 to \$5.00	Sterling Silver Thimbles 65c to 75c
Umbrellas \$3.50 to \$6.00	Rich American Cut Glass Small and large pieces 50c to \$28.00
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### THE CITY IN BRIEF

Ed. Evenson of Mercer transacted business in the city Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Kelley of Wautoma, Wis., is in the city visiting relatives.

James Murphy of Monico was a visitor in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Stella Blitch visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Hickey in Antigo this week.

Miss Mary Grall of Antigo arrived in the city today for a visit with friends.

Clinton Hanson is here from Madison to remain until after the holidays.

Arthur Swedberg and Andrew Danielson, who attend Augustana College, are expected home Friday for the holidays.

Miss Mollie Kellhofer returned Saturday from a visit with Antigo relatives.

John O'Hare, a brother of the late Thomas O'Hare, is visiting relatives in the city.

**NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY** 16 inch dry soft wood. Brown Bros. Lumber Co. Phone No. 78.

Howard Reed Jr., will spend the holidays with his parents here. He is studying medicine in University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

**FOR SALE:**—20 cords dry birch and maple 4 ft. long, 4 solid cords dry tamarack wood 16 inch. Enquire of D. Kirk 808 Mason St. or Racket store.

Miss Helen Horr, Miss Mabel White, Bradley Taylor and Harry Fenelon are among the Wisconsin University students who will spend the holidays at home. They are expected to arrive in the city Friday.

Cut rates on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

**FOR SALE:**—Bargain, roll top desk, office table, coal stove, chairs, single horse cart, 2nd hand doors and single horse cart, 2nd hand doors and windows and other articles. See Chas. A. Conroy.

Mrs. W. A. Brown and little daughter will return Friday from Elgin, Ill., where they have been visiting Mrs. Brown's mother, since Thanksgiving. Mr. Brown went to Elgin Monday night to accompany them home.

### PERUNA

**A STANDARD FAMILY REMEDY**

For over forty years it has been used as A TONIC AND STOMACH REMEDY. Peruna aids the appetite and gives new life to digestion.

Leo Bishop of Three Lakes was in the city Saturday.

Miss Fanny Brown of Wicklow visited friends here during the week.

Miss Lizzie Dusel is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Hies in Starks.

W. H. Gilligan of the Oneida Garage was in Merrill Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Donnelly were here from Three Lakes Sunday.

Mrs. E. J. Slossen went to Wausau Wednesday to visit at the Alderson home.

Do your Christmas shopping in Rhinelander. The home merchants have the goods.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Willis are home from Gladstone, Mich., where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gagner.

The Catholic ladies will give a Christmas sale and Edison concert in the parochial school hall Friday and Saturday evenings.

Mrs. Henry Osborne was among those who attended the production of "The Birth of a Nation" in Antigo Friday.

**FOR SALE:**—Dining room table in good condition. Terms cheap if taken at once. Enquire of Mrs. R. J. Morter.

Another card party will be given by the Social Democrats in the Odd Fellows' hall, Tuesday evening Dec. 28. Everybody invited.

In observance of her birthday anniversary twelve lady friends of Mrs. William Durkee pleasantly surprised her at her home on S Oneida avenue Saturday evening. She was presented with a beautiful pedestal.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Urbank entertained at six o'clock dinner last Thursday evening in honor of Rev. A. M. Wuchter, former pastor of St. Mary's church here. Father Wuchter is still located in Stanton, Wis.

Near Gladstone men for woods work are so scarce that Indians are being pressed into service. The Indian is not very strong on the work proposition but in case of a pinch he is better than no man at all.

Among those from here who witnessed "The Birth of a Nation" in Antigo Friday were Dr. and Mrs. I. E. Schiek, Mrs. F. Annen, Miss Hazel Hildebrand and Paul Gaston.

Clarence Lindgren, who attends the agricultural department of Wisconsin University, will arrive home Friday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Axel Lindgren. During the Christmas rush he will assist in his father's tailoring establishment.

Mr. and Mrs. "Shorty" Fournier leave for a winter trip next week. They will visit friends at Green Bay, Sturgeon Bay, Sheboygan, Milwaukee, Racine, Chicago, Panama, St. Louis, Memphis, Brownsville, Ripely, New Orleans, Cuba, Panama, Hawaiian Islands. At St. Louis Ex-Gov. Johnson's daughter, Mrs. Stemmend, will join them for the remainder of the trip. Mr. Chas. Chase will have charge of the Fournier resort during their absence.

Do your Christmas shopping in Rhinelander. The home merchants have the goods.

George Walton of Milwaukee spent the last few days in Rhinelander. He has an intention of going into business here.

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**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS**

Following is a list of all real estate conveyances recorded for the week ending Dec. 15, 1915, furnished by the Oneida County Land and Abstract Company to-wit:

Michael Langdon and wf. to Brown Bros. Lbr. Co. Q. C. D. of SW SW 5 and SE SE 6-35-9 E.—\$.

Jay B. Tompkins and wf. to Brown Bros. Lbr. Co. Q. C. D. of NE SW & NW SE 21-38-9 E.—\$1.

Chas. S. Crofoot, Sheriff, to C. E. Purdy Sheriff's deed of SE NW and NW SE 5-37-5 E.—\$602.01.

W. W. Collins and wf. to Theodore Deamude W. D. of W4 NE, SE NE and lot 2 sec. 7, NW NW 8-39-9 E.—\$200 and value.

Reinhard Schoeneck and wf. to Julius Schoeneck. W. D. of lot 9 blk. 1 of Plat of map of Enterprise.—\$1.

La Billor's and Moulton to R. J. La Selle. Q. C. D. of lots 1-2-3-4-5 blk. 7 in East End Addition.—\$1.

Menasha Wooden Ware Co. to Brown Bros. Lbr. Co. Q. C. D. of NE SW 8-35-9 E.—\$1.

John Eby to Oneida Farms Co. W. D. of NW NW and S4 NW 6-36-7 E.—\$1.

Nick Thomas and wf. to Lizzie Meeikalski Q. C. D. of SE SE 1, NW SE 21-36-9 E., lot 2 sec. 27-39-10 E.—\$1.

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Long Lived Trees.  
Olives are declared to be the longest-lived fruit trees, some in Syria having borne abundant crops for more than 400 years.

**Conkey's**  
POULTRY  
TONIC

Put it in your food and makes it healthy because they are strong and vigorous. No other food gives you so much strength and vitality.

CONKEY'S BIRD REMEDY  
puts Poultry to rest. Give in drinking water 2 or 3 cc and it will cure any ailment of the poultry.

THE C. E. CONKEY CO.  
Poultry Tonic

Buy it at HOME this Christmas

Keep Prosperity in THIS Town

## YOUR LADY FRIEND

### We Sell

Chocolates  
Caramels  
Bon-bons  
Pan Candies  
Mixed Candies  
Fruits  
Nuts  
Brick Ice Cream  
Pop Corn Balls  
Cigars  
Pipes  
and  
Tobaccos

**WILL EXPECT** that box of sweets on Christmas morning. It is national custom where close friendship or warmer sentiments exist between the sexes, and this is a day when custom rules.

### Fresh and Delicious

Everything has been ordered especially for the holiday trade, and the best that money can buy.

Goods daintily boxed and delivered on Christmas morning, with your card enclosed, if desired.

# RILEYS

## THE NEW NORTH.

The New North Printing Co.  
DECEMBER 16, 1915

Entered at the Postoffice at Rhinelander, Wis., as Second Class Mail Matter

Are you a home town booster? Or is it the other fellow?

There's a lot of energy corked up in this town. Jerk the cork!

A lot of people talk, a few think, and some are too lazy to do either.

January 1 is noted for two things. It ushers in a new year and a grist of bills.

It is good to have the saving habit, but when you do spend your money spend it in Rhinelander.

First thing we know the neutral countries will be scrapping with each other to see which one can cop off the honors of neutrality.

It is the man who attends to his own business who succeeds. If you doubt this look at this issue of the New North.

Too often the thief makes much noise about the other fellow. Some time we may give you a good illustration.

It is about time we should hear something of the returns of the Sutton investigation. Our patience is good but there is a limit.

It is now tax time. When you pay your taxes go see the public official who told you a year ago how he would help reduce them and see what he has had to do with the job.

There is nothing quite so pathetic as the empty stocking on Christmas morning. Here's hoping that Santa Claus visits every child in Rhinelander. May all "good fellows" do their share.

If every one of our delinquent subscribers would pay up between now and New Year's this town would have a record equaled by no other town in the United States. And who wouldn't cough up a dollar or two for a rep. like that?

Governor Philipp is the first executive too good to live in the Governor's Mansion in Madison. Our present governor lives in Milwaukee. Neither does his family live in Madison. A man too good to live at the state capital and look after the state business is not the man to be governor of a state.

As near as we can learn, there is an expert at the court house bringing the work of the county clerk to date. Would it not be wise to select a clerk who has some conception of the work of his own office and keep it up to date so that the interested tax paying public may be served the year around.

We were truly amused today to hear a McGovern follower condemn Senator LaFollette for his treachery to McGovern. This is rich. McGovern accomplished his highest position hanging on LaFollette's coat tail and when he let go of his grip, he fell in the mire and has never risen again. McGovern's treachery caused his own downfall.

Senator Robert M. LaFollette is again in line making some of his old time speeches. He has little trouble to show up the treacherous position of Emmanuel L. Philipp. Mr. Philipp's chief aim has been to fill offices with his style of men, and indirectly attack the educational institutions of the state. He has given the State University no mercy but has tried to cripple the democratic spirit in this great institution. We believe this lobbyist has not fooled the people but they are fully aware of his deception.

**WEALTHY SETTLERS COMING**  
The old idea that well-to-do farmers from the surrounding states would not come to the outcrop portions of the northern counties has been pretty well done away with. The Wisconsin Bulletin has reported from time to time the settlement of a number of such people in various portions of the upper counties and shown what great headway they have made in clearing up the country. Not only that they have made headway on their own farms but that they have given employment that has assisted poorer settlers in clearing and stocking their farms.

We learn that a family of a father and three sons came to Mellen from near Appleton, Minn., and bought approximately 160 acres each. They employed themselves and many of the poorer people of their neighborhood and have cleared more land in a year than people without means could have cleared in several years. They had plenty of money and ability.

A man came from Peru, Neb., with money not only to pay cash for 100 acres of land, but also to hire a force to clear 40 acres at once and to erect good buildings and stock. He was a well-to-do farmer from a prairie state—such a man has been declared by many to be an impossibility as a settler in the northern counties.

A man from Iowa—another well-to-do farmer from a prairie state—bought land last year and has cleared 160 acres and is proceeding with time to come to the conclusion that other improvements. Isn't it about what we want in the upper counties as a good sprinkling of well-to-do people, such as these?

After the show try one of Riley's hot chocolates. Nothing more appropriate for Christmas than jewelry. See Sorenson's line.

## TERROR OF PORK GRABBERS

Washington, D. C., Dec. 10.—(Special.)—He talks fast. Figures tumble from his lips like tapers from a stock ticker, only faster. Statistics concerning enormous quantities in tonnage and dollars are on the tip of his tongue. His words come with the mathematical precision of an adding machine and hit their mark with the cool, nerveless daring of a surgeon's hand.

Such a man is James A. Frear, representative from Wisconsin and the congressman who holds title as the champion annihilator of "pork" in the national capital. Jim Frear of Hudson, Wis., is the terror of the pork grabbers and the sworn foe of that benevolent "pass it around" organization, the rivers and harbors congress.

What is pork? The political use of the term is derived, according to traditions from the following story. A jury tried and acquitted a man who had stolen a hog. A juror when asked to explain the verdict, which was directly in opposition to the evidence, declared, "We couldn't find him guilty. All of the jurors had some of the pork."

There's no political capital in opposing the rolling of the pork barrel. Just the contrary. He who would contest the digging of a cross-country canal connecting Duluth with Denver guarantees for himself the everlasting censure of the porcine apostles and their voracious followings. Teasing "porky" from a political standpoint is about as conducive to good health and long life as caressing a buzz saw.

Jim Frear has stood the gaff. His fight before the last session of congress resulted in rendering some \$10,000,000 worth of land out of the proposed rivers and harbors appropriations. This year it is expected that only a total of some \$15,000,000 is to be asked for similar purposes and Jim Frear is getting ready to carve some more bacon.

Frear has chosen his own fight against the pork barrel. He is not even a member of the committee that handles those matters. He has refused to "hold his nose and vote yes" on the appropriation of millions of the country's money to make water sites for power companies or to turn the Mugville swamp into a Venetian lagoon.—Chicago Tribune, Dec. 11th, 1915.

It will pay you to do your holiday shopping at Sorenson's.

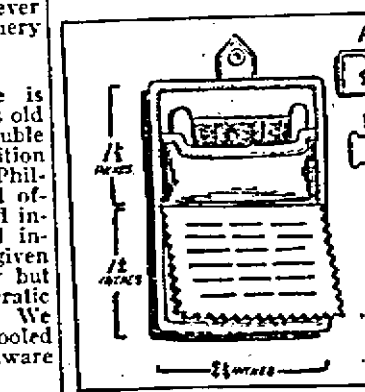
## WORK-CASE TO FIT POCKET

Most Useful and Simple Little Recipe Made May Be Work of a Few Idle Minutes.

A pocket work-case just to hold half a dozen needles and the contents of a reel of cotton wound upon a card is a very useful little thing, and our sketch shows a neat little article of this description. It can be made from any remnant of silk and is lined with thin silk and bound at the edges with narrow ribbon.

It holds together in the center, and the two sides are stiffened with pieces of card sewn in between the silk and the lining. Upon one side a pocket is arranged in which the cotton wound upon the card may be placed, and diagram B shows the shape in which the card should be cut out, and the cross indicates a small slit cut for holding the end of the cotton.

To the center of the case a single leaf of fannel cut into points at the



edges is sewn for the needles, and the needles selected should not be too small.

The case fastens when closed with a tab and a push button as seen in diagram A. The initials of the owner can be worked where indicated.

**Feathers and Furbelows.**  
Millinery feathers besides ostrich are coy and numerous short feathers and quills. Very short pheasant feathers are so pasted together as to resemble tiny birds with outstretched wings. Beautifully embroidered pheasant quills of diminutive size in silks carrying out the colors in the natural pheasant plumage grace a plain black velvet hat. They lie on the brim, under the brim, and also are arranged about the stiff collar of the crown.

Sorenson has the largest stock of holiday gifts in the city. Everything in jewelry.

**ALLEGES CRUELTY TO ANIMALS**  
A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Albert Butler of Monico. The complaint charges him with cruelty to animals.

Brick ice cream in all flavors for the holiday trade at Riley's.

**Whalebone From One Fish.**  
About half a ton of whalebone is obtained from one whale, its value being, roughly, \$5,000.

**DR. I. E. SCHIEK**

Physician and Surgeon  
Hinnman Building, Davenport Street  
Office Hours—9 to 11 a. m. 1 to 4 p. m. 8 p. m.

'Phone 133



HERE is the stocking of little Nell.  
Oh, is it not a glorious one?  
Hammer and gimlet and lots of tacks!  
Whistle and whiffing, whip that cracks!  
And the stocking of little Nell.  
Oh, dear Santa, cram it well!  
Give her a dolly that laughs and cries,  
One that will open and shut its eyes!

## Poor Holiday fare

A delegation of fellow townsmen called on Rufus K. Combs of Midway, Ky., to congratulate him on the receipt of a Carnegie medal.

As his friends were taking leave Mr. Combs wished them all a merry Christmas.

"And I hope," he ended, "that you'll have a more bountiful Christmas dinner than fell to the lot of a young friend of mine last year."

"He, poor chap, was stopping at a cheap New Year boarding house, and on Christmas day, after he had eaten a turkey neck, a potato and a splinter of sodden mince pie, the landlady said to him as he rose just as the weak coffee was brought on:

"Oh, don't leave the table, Mr. Smith."

"I must, madam," said Smith grimly. "It's hard wood, and my teeth are not what they used to be."

## "The Virgin's Blessing"

Every Virgin in Spain is illuminated with a taper. In Eja, near Cordova, an image or portrait of the Virgin and the Babe newborn hangs in well nigh every room in every house. And why? Because the beautiful belief is rooted in those simple minds that on Christmas eve, before the clock strikes 12, the Virgin, bringing blessings in her train, visits every house where she can find an image or portrait of her son. And many a girl kneels down in robes of white before her humble portrait of the Babe and prays and hears a rustling in the room and thinks, "The Virgin comes; she brings me my Christmas blessing," and turns, and lo, it is her mother, and the Virgin's blessing is the mother's kiss!

## CHRISTMAS.

By JOHN GREENLEAF WHITTIER.

Sound over all waters, reach out from all lands  
The chorus of voices, the clapping of hands;  
Sing hymns that were sung by the stars of the morn,  
Sing songs of the angels when Jesus was born!  
With glad jubilation  
Bring hope to the nation!  
The dark night is ending and dawn has begun;  
Rise, hope of the ages, arise like the sun,  
All speech flow to music, all hearts beat as one!  
Sing the bridal of nations, with chorals of love,  
Sing out the war vulture and sing in the dove,  
Till the hearts of the people keep time in accord  
And the voice of the world is the voice of the Lord!  
Clasp hands of the nations  
In strong gratulations;  
The dark night is ending and dawn has begun;  
Rise, hope of the ages, arise like the sun,  
All speech flow to music, all hearts beat as one!  
Blow, bugles of battle, the marches of peace;  
East, west, north and south, let the long quarrel cease.  
Sing of glory to God and of good will to man!  
Hark, joining in chorus,  
The heavens bend o'er us  
The dark night is ending and dawn has begun;  
Rise, hope of the ages, arise like the sun,  
All speech flow to music, all hearts beat as one!

Buy at HOME This Christmas.

Keep Prosperity In This TOWN

## WHY WORRY OVER THE BUYING OF CHRISTMAS GIFTS?

Nick will settle the question in a satisfactory way. When it comes to Furniture this store is the "Last Word"—Our New Holiday Stocks cannot be equalled, and the prices will make it easy for you to be somebody's Santa Claus.

Don't Overlook the Best Values Ever Offered.  
A Few Suggestions and Prices:

Rockers.....	\$ 1.50 to \$35.00
Davenport.....	35.00 to 65.00
Library Tables.....	9.00 to 28.00
Dressers.....	12.50 to 35.00
Dressing Tables.....	12.00 to 25.00
Chiffoniere.....	12.00 to 25.00
Brass Beds.....	12.00 to 35.00
Dining Tables.....	9.00 to 25.00
Buffets.....	19.50 to 30.00
China Closets.....	18.50 to 30.00
Diners, Leather Seats.....	2.00 to 4.00
Serving Tables.....	12.50 to 20.00
Shirtwaist Boxes.....	2.75 to 5.75
Smokers.....	2.75 to 12.00
Rocking Horses.....	1.00 to 8.50
Children's Desks.....	3.75 to 7.50
Children's Baby Carriages.....	3.15 to 6.00

We could suggest many appropriate gifts with a lasting value.  
Come and see for yourself. We are here to please you.

When Looking for that Gift for Father, Mother, Sister, Brother or Sweetheart Just Drop in at

# NICK'S

## The Manger of The Blessed Babe

TRADITION tells us that within the stone manger, which may now be seen in the Chapel of the Nativity at Jerusalem, there was an other of wood. It is also stated that the stone manger which attracts the interest of every visitor to Jerusalem was the outer one, and within it was incased the second. That humble stone trough in the Holy City is splendid and beautiful, with white marble, soft, rich, costly draperies and radiant with a silver star.

But yet more glorious and interesting is the wooden manger which may be seen in the city of Rome. It is held that this is the veritable manger in which the Christ Child lay. It was removed to Rome during the seventh century during the Mohammedan invasion of the Holy Land, and there it is preserved in a strong brazen chest, from which it is brought forth on Christmas days, when it is placed upon exhibition.

## A Continual Christmas

Let no pleasant tempt thee, no profit allure thee, no ambition corrupt thee, no example sway thee, no persuasion move thee to do anything thou knowest to be evil; so shalt thou always live joyfully, for a good conscience is a continual Christmas.—Benjamin Franklin

## fasting at Christmas

When Cromwell ruled England he issued an edict against all festivities at Christmas. The festival was altogether abolished and the display of holly and mistletoe and other emblems of the happy time held to be seditious.

## The Yule Log

The observance of lighting the Yule log from the remnants of the previous Christmas log can probably be traced to the ancient belief in the efficacy of fire, which was supposed never to be extinguished. It is a link in the chain that binds us to bygone times when to quote Max Muller, "the hearth was the first altar, the father the first elder, his wife and children and slaves the first congregation."

## Christmases in Various Lands

**DEVONSHIRE, England,** noted for its apples, boasts a curious custom. On Christmas eve the farmer and his son stand beneath the oldest and best apple tree, both bearing a jug of cider, and sing a certain folk song.

After passing the cider jug around they betake themselves home to a good supper and much merrymaking.

The Jamaica negroes collect all bits of odds and ends of dunnery with which to array themselves on Christmas eve and, choosing a king and queen, follow these leaders about, making as much noise as possible.

The custom of giving gifts at Christmas came not from the presents of gold and silver, given to the Christ Child, as many believe, but from an old custom of priests putting on board of all outgoing ships a box of alms.

The box was opened at Christmas-tide and masses said for the givers of the alms.

# RIEK'S ORCHESTRA

Rhinelander's Superb Musical Organization

## MUSIC FURNISHED FOR EVERY OCCASION

Out of Town Engagements Filled at ANY TIME

E. K. Riek, Director

Louis Danner, Manager

## A Merry Christmas To All



## A Merry, Joyous Christmas to You All

That Is Our Sincerest Wish to Every Woman  
Man and Child in This Community

WE wish you one and all a very Merry, Joyful Christmas; may this one be even more full of gladness and happiness and good cheer than any which has come before; and may each succeeding Christmas be more joyous than the last. These are the earnest wishes of this great store and all its employees to you—and to everybody.

WITH the Yuletide always comes a fondness for giving something to your family and your friends; a little present of some kind which shows your friendship and your love for those whom you wish to remember. Of all the things you might give, nothing more fittingly expresses your good will than something from the following list:

### THE STORE FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS FOR EVERYBODY

WHEN You give a present, you want it to be a gift that the recipients will cherish and find useful; you want to give something practical as well as appropriate. Decide now on the articles, and then come to this store—KOLDEN'S—for them. We've made special preparations for the Holidays, and are showing the latest and best things from the different lines offered in the American markets. You'll need some of these things for yourself, too; so you ought to come here early for them. You will find just what you want, at just the price you wish to pay; and we'll save you money besides. The following suggestions represent only a few of the countless gift articles in our stocks; we can't list them all in one ad. If you don't find mentioned just what you want, come and ask for them—they are here awaiting your inspection.

#### Beautiful Dresses

In All the Latest Designs

Surely you'll want a new dress for the Holidays; and here is the place to get it. We're showing you some of the most delightful values you ever saw. The dresses are made in the very newest styles, with all the up-to-the-minute touches and trimmings; of silk plaids, taffetas, charmeuse, crepe de chine, crepe meteor, wool serges, silk and wool poplins, combinations, etc; every color you might want to see. Prices as low as \$5 and up to \$25. Whatever you want to pay, we'll show you special values. If you want to give something really worth while, give "her" one of those beautiful gowns; nothing could please her more.

#### GIFTS FOR WOMEN

Every One a Pleasing Present

Manicure Sets	Toilet Sets
Fancy Work Bags	Mirrors
Bath Robes \$1.50 to \$6.00	Pin Cushions
Silk Kimonos \$4.50 to \$10.00	Picture Frames
Umbrellas \$1.00 to \$5.00	Fancy Cloth
Sweaters \$1 to \$6.50	Gift Books
Auto Caps 50c to \$1	Angora Sets \$1 to \$2
Hand Bags 50c to \$5	Petticoats 50c to \$5
Fancy Neckwear 25c to \$1	Silk Gloves 50c to \$2
Cuffs and Collar Sets 50c up	Kid Gloves \$1 to \$3.50
Silk Hose 25c to \$1.50	Fabric Gloves 25c to 50c
Handkerchiefs 5c to \$1	Coin Purses 25c to \$1
Necklaces 25c to \$1.50	Fancy Hair Pins 25c to 50
Neck Beads 15c to \$1	Fancy Hat Pins 10c to 50c
Fur Sets \$5 to \$70.00	Corsets 50c to \$5.00
Muffs \$3.65 to \$35	

#### Pretty New Silk Waists

Very Acceptable Xmas Gifts

What more practical and pleasing gift is there for "Her" than a nice, pretty Silk Waist. We have a fine assortment of them in crepe de chine, taffetas, plaids, messalines, chiffon taffetas, etc., all the newest shades and styles, from \$2 up to \$6.00. The best gifts of all.

#### GIFTS FOR THE HOME

That Never Fail to Please

Turkish Towels, Wash Cloth to match 25c to 50c	Sheets 75c to 1.25 each
Table Linen and Napkins to match	Bed Spreads 1.00 to 6.00
Table Linen 25c to \$2.00 per yard	Fancy Linens of all kinds
Napkins 1.25 to 6.00 per doz.	Fancy Wool Blankets 4.00 to 14.00
Towels 15c to 1.50 each	Fancy Comforters 1.00 to 7.00
Box Pillow Cases 1.35 for six	Rugs From 98c to 50.00

#### Why Not Give Hosiery?

Nothing is better than Hosiery for gifts if you want to pay only a little for the presents. We have everything good in Hose, from the best at 10c a pair, to the finest silk hose at \$1.50; many put up in neat Holiday boxes.

#### An Extraordinary Pre-Holiday Sale of Women's and Misses' Newest up the \$25.00 WINTER COATS

### \$18.75

This season's very latest Coats, in all the handsomest styles and fabrics and colors; plain tailored and military effects, most of them belted; high-buttoning or convertible or regular collars, many of them with fur trimmings. Made of corduroys, velvets, plushes, Arabian lamb, broadcloth, Scotch, chinchilla, astrakhan, mixtures and novelties, in all shades and patterns; some lined with guaranteed satin. Sold this year for up to \$25.00, but now priced only \$18.75. It's a real bargain. Splendid opportunity to select for gifts or for your own wear.

#### \$20.00 WINTER COATS \$13.95

Beautiful new Winter Coats for women and misses; smart, swagger designs, in plain colors and fancy mixtures; most of them in belted styles; regularly sold for up to \$20.00, but now, special at \$13.95.

#### \$13.50 WINTER COATS \$9.95

A large special group of women's and misses' Winter Coats, this year's styles, in plain fabrics and mixtures, all colors; some satin lined; worth up to \$13.50, special priced for this sale at only \$9.95.

#### JUNIORS' COATS

Decidedly good Coats for growing girls from 13 to 19 years old; niftiest styles of the hour; plaids, checks and other novelty patterns as well as plain colors; belted coats in new designs, at \$5.00 to \$15.00.

#### CHILDREN'S COATS

Big line of children's coats, including chinchilla, bearskin, astrakhan, novelties, etc., plain and fancy colors; many neat styles in popular effects; very appropriate Xmas presents—and priced only \$1.75 to \$10.

For a Special Limited Time We Offer  
Choice of Women's Newest up to

#### \$25 Winter Suits \$17.95

If you need a new Suit—or if you want to give "Her" a suit for Christmas—then you'll be interested in this opportunity, which offers up to \$25.00 Winter Suits for only \$17.95. Only a limited number of them left in stock, and we urge you to come now to make your choice. These Suits are the very latest things for this season; newest styles in all designs and fabrics; wool poplins, serges, gabardines, mannish mixtures and others; many fur trimmed. Jackets are satin lined and neatly tailored; latest style skirts.

#### \$18.50 Winter Suits \$13.50

Just a few Winter Suits that sold for up to \$18.50 left in stock; and we want to sell them all before Christmas; new styles, latest patterns; your choice of the whole lot for only \$13.50.

#### \$15.00 Winter Suits \$10.50

Smart, stylish, well-tailored Winter Suits in neat, new models and effects; made of good heavy wool serges, wool poplins and mixtures; regularly sold for up to \$15.00, choice now only \$10.50.

#### Rich Fur Sets

Gifts That Always Please

Here is something that never fails to win instant admiration; something that never fails to please—a nice Set of Furs. We've got one of the finest and largest displays of Fur Sets ever brought to Rhinelander. The line embodies a wonderful range of handsome, popular styles, in all wanted furs—Russian thibet, China wolf, Marmot, China fox, Opossum, Raccoon, Natural wolf, Corey, Wildcat, etc.; new style muffs and neck pieces—and they are priced as low as \$5 a set and up to \$50. Misses' and children's sets from \$1.50 to \$10. Also separate muffs from \$1.50 up to any price you want to pay; they are ideal presents.

#### GIFTS FOR LITTLE GIRLS

Always Appreciated---Always Useful

Furs, \$1.50 to \$10.00	Velvet caps, 35 to \$1.00
Dress, \$2.75 to \$4.50	Combed wool caps, 50 to \$1.25
Gloves, 50c to \$1.00	Cap and scarf sets, \$1.00
Mittens, 25c	Shoes, 50c to \$1.50
Work bags, 25 to 75c	Hose, 25c to 50c

Next week we are going to give away to every little girl who comes into the store accompanied by her mother a New Dressing Doll. These dolls are of paper construction to be cut out. Ask for either Bobbie, Cousin Margaret or Dorothy.

#### Stylish Dress Skirts

Gifts Every Woman Will Welcome

If you decide to give a skirt, or if you want one for your own use, this is the line you should see; it's full of new things—wool poplins, velvets, silks, broadcloths, corduroys, serges, and all other fabrics, in newest colors; military, flare and plain styles, at \$2.50 up.

#### GIFTS FOR MEN AND BOYS

Things "He" Will Like to Get

Mens Suspenders, put up in a nice Xmas box, 50c	Shaving mirrors, 15c
Men's silk knit ties, 25c	Cuff buttons, 10c
Brass smoking set, 25c	Pipe racks and necktie racks, 25c
Burnt wood necktie racks, 10c	Silk hose, 50c per pair
Bark smoking set, 10c	Handkerchiefs with initial, 15 and 25c
Brass necktie racks, 10c	Handkerchiefs, plain 5c to 25
Other smoking sets or pipe racks with large heads, 50c and 98c	Shaving sets, \$1.25 to \$3.00
Story books, very good, stories for men, 25c	" paper pads, 25c
Men's silk colored bordered handkerchiefs special at 19c	Book racks 50 to \$2.50
	Coat Hangers, 50c

#### Christmas Handkerchiefs

Your Christmas list can't be complete without Handkerchiefs. Come here to see what beautiful things you can buy for 5c up. Cambric, linen and silk; plain and initial, many lace trimmed; some in folders and gift boxes.

# Kolden's

"The Quality Store"

# A Merry Christmas

The Christmas spirit is the spirit of giving; the sense of doing something for somebody else to whom we want to give pleasure.

Our part of it, as dealers in merchandise, is to provide gifts, some costly, some very inexpensive; things that men want to receive; things that you want to give. It doesn't make much difference what you pay for the gift---much or little doesn't count; "the gift without the giver is bare," said the poet.

**You'll find a big selection here**

We have all sorts of things that men and young men and boys like for their personal use. Things to wear mostly---

**Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes**

and all sorts of lesser articles of apparel. We give here a few suggestions; we have tried to make gift-giving to men easy for you

## Gifts for \$1 or Less

Neckties, Four-in-hand or bow ties, newest patterns, as low as 25 cents.

Hosiery, Silk or Lisle; in all the new shades, packed in Christmas boxes.

Gloves	Suspenders
Handkerchiefs, initial or plain	
Underwear	Collars
Mufflers	Garters
Belts	Cuff Links
	Caps

## Gifts Between \$1 and \$2

Shirts, in beautiful madras and cords; a man can't have too many dress shirts.

Sweaters	Pajamas
Nightshirts	Gloves
Umbrellas	Fur Lined Caps
House and Felt Slippers	

## Gifts From \$2 to \$3

HATS the latest soft shapes in the newest colorings; derbies in the new models.

SHIRTS in extra good quality; advanced style touches.

FUR CAPS	SHOES
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## Gifts From \$3 to \$5

SILK SHIRTS	SILK UMBRELLAS
GLOVES	HEAVY SWEATERS
SHOES	
BATH and LOUNGING ROBES	

## Gits From \$5 to \$10

BATH ROBES	SWEATERS
TRAVELING BAGS	SUIT CASES
TRAVELING ASSESSORIES	

Make your gift a Hart Schaffner & Marx suit. Unusual value at \$25; others lower and higher. You couldn't buy more useful presents.

**Full Dress Suits \$17 and \$35**

You'll find exceptional values in Hart Schaffner & Marx overcoats at almost any price you want to pay. Have us show you.

**Do You Christmas Shopping Early**

# Seibel's Clothes Shop

The home of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes



**FORECLOSURE SALE**  
 Notice is hereby given, That by virtue of a judgment of foreclosure and sale entered in the circuit court for Oneida county, Wisconsin, on the 13th day of November, 1914, in an action in said court wherein Julius Szudinski is plaintiff, and Mary A. Schofield and John F. Schofield defendants, I shall expose for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Rhinelander, in Oneida County, Wisconsin, on the 17th day of January, 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, all of the described in said judgment, to-wit:  
 The northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of the southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of Section Twelve (12) Township Thirty-Six (36), and the northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of the southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Twelve (12) Township Thirty-Six (36), in Range Six (6) East, together with all improvements thereon.  
 Which sale will be made as aforesaid for the purpose of paying the said judgment and costs of sale.  
 Dated November 26, 1915.  
**CHARLES S. CROFOOT,**  
 M. P. STEELE, Sheriff.  
 Attorney for Plaintiff.  
 D2-J13

**FORECLOSURE SALE**  
 State of Wisconsin, in Circuit Court, Oneida County:  
 Mortgage Land & Merchandise Co., a Wisconsin corporation, Plaintiff,  
 vs.  
 William W. Collins and Addie C. Collins, his wife, Andrew F. Blix and Hannah S. Blix, his wife, Defendants.  
 Notice is hereby given that by virtue of and pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure and sale made and entered in the above entitled action on November 12th, 1914, the undersigned will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the City of Rhinelander, County of Oneida and State of Wisconsin, on January 13th, 1916 at ten o'clock A. M. the following described premises:  
 Government lots Five (5), Seven (7), Eight (8), and Nine (9) in Section Nine (9) Township Thirty-Six (36) North of Range Five (5) East, Oneida County, Wisconsin.  
 Terms of sale cash.  
 Dated November 24th, 1915.  
**CHAS. S. CROFOOT,**  
 Sheriff Oneida County, Wisconsin.  
 Williams & Foster, Plaintiff's Attorney. N25-J6

**FORECLOSURE SALE**  
 State of Wisconsin, in Circuit Court, Oneida County:  
 F. H. Rhodes, Plaintiff,  
 vs.  
 William W. Collins and Addie C. Collins, his wife, John H. Jennings and Julia C. Jennings, his wife, Defendants.  
 Notice is hereby given that by virtue of and pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure and sale made and entered in the above entitled action on November 12th, 1914, the undersigned will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the City of Rhinelander, County of Oneida and State of Wisconsin, on January 13th, 1916 at ten o'clock A. M. the following described premises:  
 The Southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of the Northwest quarter (NW 1/4) and the West one-half (W 1/2) of the Southeast quarter (SE 1/4) and the Northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of the Southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of Section Eight (8) Township Thirty-seven (37) North of Range Six (6) East, Oneida County, Wisconsin.  
 Terms of sale cash.  
 Dated November 24th, 1915.  
**CHAS. S. CROFOOT,**  
 Sheriff Oneida County, Wisconsin.  
 Williams & Foster, Plaintiff's Attorney. N25-J6

**FORECLOSURE SALE**  
 Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a judgment of foreclosure and sale duly entered in the circuit court for Oneida County, Wisconsin, on the 13th day of November, 1914, in an action in said court wherein D. A. Kahn is plaintiff, and Edward Menard, Eldora Menard and Ellen Muir are defendants, I shall expose for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Rhinelander, in said county of Oneida, on the 10th day of January, 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day all of the land described in said judgment, to-wit:  
 The following described real estate situated in the county of Oneida and State of Wisconsin:  
 That part of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of section 11 in township 39 north, of range 6 east, described as follows: Beginning 27 rods north of the southwest corner of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of section 11, Town 39, Range 6 east, thence north 4 chains and 18 links; thence east 10 chains and 29 links; thence south 2 chains and 20 links; thence southwesterly 4 chains and 53 links to the place of beginning, containing 4 acres of land more or less.  
 Which sale will be made as aforesaid for the purpose of paying the said judgment and costs of sale.  
 Dated November 19, 1915.  
**CHARLES S. CROFOOT,**  
 M. P. STEELE, Sheriff.  
 Plaintiff's Attorney. N25-J6



Do your Christmas shopping in Rhinelander. The home merchants have the goods.

F. A.  
**Hildebrand**  
**FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING**  
 The Largest and Best Furniture Stock in The City  
 Give me a chance to please you  
 23 Years in Business  
 We always give 10 per cent off for cash on all furniture sales.

**Santa Phones:**  
  
 "He who shops in time helps three—Himself, his overworked neighbor and me."  
**Therefore Do Your Shopping Early!**

Not Consistent.  
 Rankin—"Beanbrough says he is going to quit the union." Phyle—"Why?" Rankin—"Because he says he can't see the consistency of letting the walking delegates hire an automobile."  
 "Drop" Defined.  
 In the British pharmacopeia a "drop" is defined as coming from a tube of which the external diameter is exactly three millimeters. 20 such drops of water at 15 degrees Centigrade being equivalent to one milliliter or cubic centimeter.

Buy it at HOME this Christmas. Keep Prosperity in THIS Town  
**Gas Lighting**  
 in the home make life brighter . . .  
 No shadows, no gloom, no groping in the dark for things you want to find.  
 No straining of eyes in trying to read print that is only readily discernable in a normal light.  
 No dismal surroundings to blunt your energy and retard your determination to accomplish things.  
**Oneida Gas Co.**  
 LET US SHOW YOU

**Christmas at Christ's Birthplace**  
 At last I am come to the market place, at one end of which stands the Church of the Nativity, marking the holy, lowly birthplace, says a writer in Army and Navy Life. There is only one entrance from the street, and it is so low that in entering one is forced to bow the head and assume a posture of reverence. When once inside I raise my eyes I feel the lashes wet.  
 The ceiling is lofty, the walls white-washed and bare, while the ancient dark beams and rafters add to the air of extreme simplicity. There are long rows of marble pillars, once adorned with paintings, that are all but faded now, and of the once glittering mosaics of the clerestory only fragments remain. Coming into the choir and apse, the scene is suddenly changed. There are numerous altars of diverse ownership under a constant and jealous guardianship of Latin, Greek and Armenian. Over these various claims there has been much and bitter dissension; blood has been spilled more than once. In fact, as all the world knows, the Crusades war began with a mob riot in the Church of the Nativity—sacrilege of sacrilege!—and here was born the Prince of Peace!  
 Down the dark and winding stairs, slippery with the drippings of count-



less candles, I make my way to that lowly place into which first came the light of the world. The grotto of the Nativity is a cavern beneath the church, long, narrow and low ceiled, with pendant lamps of precious metal and rare workmanship lighting the gloom. The floor is marble, and wonderful old tapestries, pictures and silk hangings cover the walls. A marble cradle in one corner commemorates the manger, and in a recess on one side a dozen or more hanging lamps are ranged around in a half circle.  
 Before the altar there all men bend low and kiss the ground for Christ's sake, for it is here a silver star is set to mark the birthplace of him whom his mother called Jesus. The center of the star is glass, and through it one may see the original rocky floor of the stable. To the north of the grotto underneath the floor one may also see the cave in which St. Jerome spent many peaceful years translating the Bible into Latin.

The effect of the whole is impressive, but in an unfamiliar way. I am conscious of a feeling that is almost resentment against the lamps and tapestries and the marble floor. They seem to level to the cheapness of worldly riches a spot that of all places on earth, should have been allowed to remain tranquilly humble and dimly sacred, true to the character of its holy, transcendent memory.  
 I close my eyes for a moment, while mind and heart rebel against the present, until it vanishes and the atmosphere of the past, in all its deep and wondrous mystery, returns to envelop my soul. "I am here, in Bethlehem," I whisper to myself, and beyond closed lids I see the Virgin mother with her gentle face as the old masters loved to picture her and a "light that never was on land or sea" in her beautiful mother eyes, while the glory from one low hanging star touches a Baby's hair. The fragrant scent of new hay is in my nostrils, I hear the soft breathing of nearby cattle, and above the murmur of pilgrims' prayers the voice of the Magi is saying, "Lo, we have seen his star in the east and are come to worship him."

To Light Yule Log Properly.  
 There are thousands who still firmly believe that to light the Yule log with the charred remains of its predecessor of a year ago means twelve months of good luck for the provident householder and his family. But it has always been considered an evil omen if a squinting person, a barefooted person or, worst of all, a fat footed woman enters the room while the log is burning.

Buy it at HOME this Christmas Keep Prosperity in THIS Town  
**New Year---New Car**  
  
 Does it sound good to you? Make it better than it sounds by seeing us now about your next year's car. The proposition we have to make you is quite as attractive as the car we sell, and THAT MEANS SOMETHING.  
**Oneida Garage Company**  
 WILL GILLIGAN C. J. WESLEY

**How Not to Give**  
 THE story is told of a woman with a great deal more money than mind and her selection of Santa Claus favors. This daughter of gold is busy twenty-four hours out of the day chasing happiness, though it is said she seldom catches up with it. Her idea of a Christmas gift is something that costs \$5. Never mind what the something is so long as it represents a V.  
 Several years ago she was particularly rushed at the holiday season, so she gave less thought than usual to the disposal of the Christmas fives. She was passing a bookshop when a limp leather and gold copy of Omar's "It-balfat" caught her eyes. Here was an inspiration. She would buy \$5 worth of oriental pessimistic philosophy, expressed in metrical form, for a friend who lived in a hall bedroom and hadn't a second shirt waist to her name.  
 Upon investigation Omar looked so good she decided to mass her Christmas suggestions and spend the hundred dollars in fives she set aside for gift purposes on Khayyam and his verses. One copy went to a widowed friend of her girlhood who lived on a farm in Maine and attended the little crossroads church twice on Sunday. Omar's verses in praise of wine and loyemaking were well calculated to shock this recipient. Another copy was mailed to a seamstress with three young robin mouths to feed and a net income of \$12 a week. The elevator man in the apartment house where the munificent giver lived drew one of the limp leathers. The remainder of the recipients were more or less appropriately selected.  
 Picture, if you will, the widow on the farm perusing the wine, women and song philosophy of the orient! Imagine the elevator man in the depths of his cage poring over "a loaf of bread, a jug of wine and thou!" This year the \$100 would have gone for volumes of "Moonmadness," a sort of Egyptian and Parisian nightmare, had not a safe and sane selection been made.

**Ostrich Dinner For Christmas.**  
 One baby ostrich, five months old and weighing over 100 pounds dressed, was served at a recent Y. M. C. A. Christmas dinner in Los Angeles, and 1,500 persons were served. Each of the babe's drumsticks weighed sixteen pounds. In cooking the bird 165 pounds of dressing were used. This was made up of fifty pounds of chestnuts, thirty pounds of butter, twenty-five pounds of onions, fifty pounds of bread, twenty-five heads of celery and one pound of mixed spices. A special oven six feet square was arranged to roast the bird.

**Feelings to Be Considered.**  
 "Do you know the Ten Commandments?" "Oh, yes," replied Miss Cayenne; "but I shouldn't venture to recite them in a general gathering of our friends. It might be considered tactful."  
**Milk for Choice Lace.**  
 It is well when washing a piece of choice yellowed lace to dip it in milk before ironing. Always place a piece of tissue paper directly over the lace so the warm iron will not touch the fabric.  
**Admiration.**  
 "Bliggins is a remarkable fisherman." "Yes, I honestly believe it's more wonderful for a man to think up the stories Bliggins tells than it would be actually to catch the fish."  
**Skin Milk.**  
 In distributing the milk of human kindness the givers too often keep the cream

**Commercial Hotel**

Buy it at HOME this Christmas Keep Prosperity in THIS Town  
**Make It An Intellectual Christmas**  
**Other Appropriate Gifts**  
 Stationery  
 Fountain Pens  
 Nutting Pictures  
 Christmas Cards  
 Artistic Calendars and Folders  
 Children's Games and Books  
 Kodaks  
 Magazines  
 Pipes and Smokers' Articles  
 Cigars  
 Candies  
**BOOKS** record the thoughts of the brightest minds of the world. They are especially appreciated by other bright minds. Christmas is the appropriate time for presenting your relative or friend with a book dealing with a subject in which you know they are interested, or with a popular work of fiction.  
 We have a large stock of books from which to make your selection.  
**The Bronson Store**